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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

Applicant: Romine, et al.  
Application Number: 09/713,479  
Filing Date: November 15, 2000  
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
QUIESCING SELECT DATA  
MODIFICATION OPERATIONS  
AGAINST AN OBJECT OF A  
DATABASE DURING ONE OR  
MORE STRUCTURAL  
OPERATIONS  
Examiner Name: Debbie M. Le  
Group Art Unit: 2167

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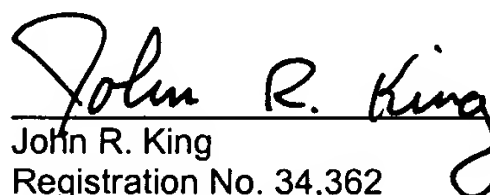
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